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~~Re~~ Application of:

Confirmation No.: 9339

Group Art Unit: 2879

Examiner: K. Quarterman

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In a Restriction Requirement dated December 12, 2005, the period for response to which extends through January 12, 2006, the Examiner required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between Group I (claims 1-16) drawn to an organic electroluminescent device, and Group II (claims 17-34) drawn to methods of manufacturing an electroluminescent device. Applicants hereby elect Group I (claims 1-16) with traverse. Applicants respectfully submit that there is no undue burden to examine all pending claims. Applicants respectfully request formal examination of this application.

If there are any fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0310. If a fee is required for an extension of time under

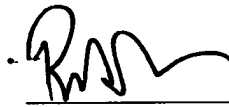
37 C.F.R. § 136 not accounted for above, such extension is requested and the fee should also be charged to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 12, 2006

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